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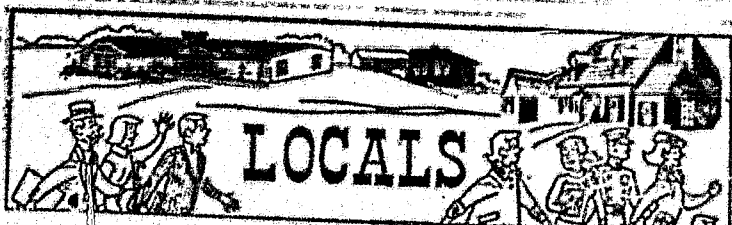
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Royal Davis of Farmington is spending the winter with his son, Lawrence Davis, and family.

Bartlett Hutchinson of Boston spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loton Hutchinson.

Women interested in bowling are asked to meet at Central Alleys at 8 o'clock this Thursday evening.

Wesley Wheeler and Mrs. Minnie Richardson spent Thanksgiving day with Mrs. Ruth Hall in Orye, N. H.

Miss Susan Morey of West Paris visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keniston Thursday through Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Browne, Larry, Debbie and Dennis, spent the Thanksgiving holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Emmons, Burlington, Vt.

Edith Wilson, who has made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bennett in Mayville, is now staying at the Hubbard House, South Paris.

Mrs. John Trefethen, Emerson Trefethen and Mrs. Clyde Whitman spent Thanksgiving and the week end at Mrs. Whitman's home on Grover Hill.

Dr. and Mrs. John Trinward entertained Thanksgiving Day Mr. and Mrs. George Greenleaf of Norway, Miss Eloise Millett of Hampton, N. H., Miss Florence Greenleaf of Springfield, Mass., Mrs. Fred Jordan and Mrs. Hazel Trinward.

Fred P. Grover has been appointed substitute clerk at the Bethel Post Office, a position made vacant by the transfer of C. C. Bane to rural carrier on R. F. D. 2. Ronald C. Kendall has been appointed substitute, a position previously held by Mr. Grover.

Mrs. Katharine Adams of Thompsonville, Conn., is staying with her sister, Mrs. Ruth Dorion, while recovering from injuries received in an auto accident Saturday at Trap Corner. Miss Marilyn Adams, who was also injured, has returned to Connecticut.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed entertained Thanksgiving Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hutchinson of Farmington, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dumas and Beth of Fort Dix, N. J., Mrs. Hilda Swan and Gloria, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Swan and Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. John Grant of Gray.

The Women's Fellowship Circle will meet Dec. 10 at 7:30 as follows: Circle 1, Mrs. Ruth Dorion with Mrs. Melva Willard as co-hostess; Circle 2, Mrs. Violet Bennett with Mrs. Edith Rowe as assisting; Circle 3, Mrs. Margaret Clark with Mrs. Hazel Trinward as co-hostess. This will be a covered dish supper and members are requested to bring either a casserole or salad and the Circle will meet at 6:30. Circle 4, Mrs. Helen Hiller with Mrs. Neva Coudige. Circle 5 will not meet until Dec. 17, at the home of Mrs. Betty Laws.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Glines entertained on Thanksgiving day at the Oehring Home those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford MacLaughlin and son, Berkeley, of Bucksport; Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Richardson and Timothy, Mrs. Jennie Bartlett and daughter of Haverhill, Mrs. Katharine Adams, Marilyn and Herbert Adams of Thompsonville, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. David Glines of Andover; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bodwell and two sons, Mrs. Ruth Dorion, Mr. and Mrs. Eason Paine and Nicole, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Glines, Gregory, Heidi and Kristin.

WINTER CAME

Winter weather arrived suddenly last week, with snow Friday and several times since and continued cold. Temperatures below zero were reported the last of the week and continued until Wednesday when a low point of around 16 below zero was reported in some places. This Thursday morning is much warmer with a light snowfall of several inches. Roads have been slippery and unpredictable, but with few serious accidents.

CHILDREN'S BOOK EXHIBIT AT CRESCENT PARK SCHOOL HELD THROUGH FRIDAY

The book exhibit at Crescent Park School will be held over one more day, through Friday, Dec. 5. The exhibit may be visited from 4 to 5:30 and 7 to 9:30 p. m. Nearly 600 children's books, for all ages, are displayed in this exhibit. Orders will be taken from those wishing to purchase books.

Mrs. Charles Freeman and Mark accompanied Judy to Boston Sunday, remaining until Tuesday.

John Tebbets has completed his duties at Geneva, N. Y., and returned to his home in town.

The Eleanor Gordon Guild will meet Wednesday evening, Dec. 10, at the home of Mrs. Mary Paine. Mrs. George Taylor and sons, Bruce and Kent, were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Calderwood, Portland.

Mrs. Eleanor Gordon Keniston is at her home on Park Street in Milo after being in the hospital for a gall bladder operation.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gile and daughter of Hazardville, Conn., were holiday and week end guests of Mrs. Violet Bennett.

Miss Dixie Lea Brown was a recent guest of her sister, Miss Martha Brown, at the CMG Hospital Nurses Home, Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Brooks and children, Jack and Jeri, spent the holiday with Mrs. John Lane and family, North Brookfield, Mass.

The MEC will meet at Mrs. Hazel Trinward's Monday evening, Dec. 8. A pot luck supper will be served at 6:30. There will be a Christmas tree with exchange of gifts.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Davis were Mr. and Mrs. Hollman Davis, Craig, Dale and Dwayne Davis, Wilton; Mrs. Louise Rolfe, Lacombe, N. H.; and Royal Davis.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Thurston on Thanksgiving were Mr. and Mrs. Wade Thurston, Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. Orra Parker, and the Misses Bonnie and Cammie Whitman of Portland.

On Saturday morning, Nov. 22, Mrs. Everett Chase entertained a group of neighborhood friends at a coffee to meet Mrs. Addison W. Saunders, who has recently moved to Bridge Street. The guests included Mrs. Robert Nichols, Mrs. Roy Moore, Mrs. Charles Walker, Mrs. Essie Reynolds and Mrs. Harold Bean. Mrs. Fred Douglas and Mrs. Virgie McMillin were unable to attend.

Thirty-one members and two guests attended the meeting of the Bethel Chamber of Commerce Tuesday evening. There was a report of the financial and membership standing of the Chamber and a discussion of proposed amendments to the By-Laws. Following the business session Ralph Howard of the Bowdoin-McGregor Corporation, Dixfield, presented an interesting history of the woodturning industry in Oxford County and showed specimens of many products of the mills at the present time.

COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

As we are all aware the first snow fall of the season arrived. Through to Dec. 31st the service in plowing, sanding and removal of snow from the streets may not be everything that is desired. As the snow removal account is already operating on a deficit the overtime for the snow removal crew will be kept to a minimum as much as possible through December.

Consideration is being given to the manner in which the Budget Committee is appointed. At the annual town meeting the article concerning the appointment of a Budget Committee may be changed to some extent. The moderator would still be empowered to make the appointments. Instead of appointing twelve each year he would appoint four for a three year term, four for a two year term and four for a one year term. In the future four would be appointed each year for a term of three years.

A crew from the Maine Tree Service were in town last week trimming and removing dead wood from elm trees on Spring, High, and Summer Streets. When they return Mechanic St. will be next.

Sincerely,

Harold L. Bean

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS FROM YOUR LOCAL POSTMASTER

Address your mail clearly and correctly. Use zone numbers if known. It expedites delivery to the addressee.

Use proper postage. Unsealed cards without writing, other than your name, may be mailed for 3c; but they cannot be forwarded or returned if undeliverable as addressed.

Those bearing the letter rate of postage of 4c can be forwarded or returned, if undeliverable, provided they bear your return address.

All sealed cards and those containing writing must bear the letter rate of postage, 4c for out of town or local RFD, and Star routes; 7c for drop letters (postage not to be returned at local post office).

You can further assist by separating your cards for local and out of town delivery labels are supplied or you may use slips of paper on which you have written "All for local delivery" or "All for out of town delivery."

Prepare your packages in sturdy containers and wrap in heavy paper and tie with cord or strong twine, so they will reach their destination in good condition.

Write or print the address on ONE side ONLY and place your return address in the upper left hand corner.

Cards and letters may be included in packages if proper first class stamps are added to the postage on the package. Please mail urgent mail well in advance of the dispatch closing time 10:15 and 4:10.

The stamp and parcel post window will be open till 5 p. m. on Saturdays, Dec. 13 and 20, for your convenience.

PHILBRICK - BENEDIX ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

The engagement of Charlotte Philbrick, of Rumford, daughter of Mr. Mary Philbrick of New Jersey and the late Marsha Philbrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Benedix, Sr. of Hillsdale Ave., Rumford, has been announced.

Miss Philbrick attended Bethel schools and Gould Academy. Mr. Benedix received his education in Rumford schools and was graduated from Stephens high school. He is now with the U. S. Army, 10th Field Artillery, stationed at present in Iceland. Before entering the service, he was employed by his father as a plumber with the E. H. Benedix and Sons Heating and Plumbing Contractors of Rumford.

BOWLING NEWS

The Bowling League at Central Alleys started this week with a schedule including six Bethel teams and two Waterville teams. Teams from Bethel are: Legion, Glines, Johnson, Rogers, Blaisdell, Central Alley, A.A.P. Addison Blaisdell holds high score for the league for this week, 118 single strike.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Austin of Auburn and Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Austin of Wilkesboro, Mass., were Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. Ava Austin.

TRAILER TRUCK AVOIDING COLLISION LANDS IN BROOK —DRIVER ESCAPES INJURY

Paul Gills of Schuyerville, N. Y., was unharmed Friday afternoon when the trailer-truck he was driving left the road at Mayville. The accident occurred when he applied the brakes to avoid hitting a car stopped in the middle of the road at Riverside Farms. The outfit jackknifed with the tractor lying in the brook. The vehicle, reportedly owned by the Gansey Company of New York was going to Rumford for a load of paper.

MRS. WILLIAM ABBOTT

Mrs. Marguerite Abbott of White Plains, N. Y., was killed Friday in Glenville, Ga. She and her husband, William Abbott, were going to their new home in Florida. They were travelling in two cars and Mr. Abbott was following when the accident occurred.

Mrs. Abbott was born in South Waterford, Jan. 25, 1890, the daughter of Mrs. Blanche Sanderson Merrill and the late Lewis Merrill. She was a graduate of Bridgton Academy and later was employed for many years as an accountant in various government branches.

Besides her husband, she is survived by her mother, who lives at Orlando, Fla.; two brothers, Charles E. Merrill of Bethel, and Arnold Merrill, of Harrison; several nieces and nephews. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at Orlando, Fla., and burial was in that city.

MRS. BLANCHE E. HATSTAT

Mrs. Blanche Ellen Hatstat died Nov. 26 at the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, where she had been a patient a short time.

Born at Lewiston, Sept. 1, 1904, daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth Bushby Dionne, she had resided at Albany most of her life.

Survivors include her father, Joseph Dionne, Auburn, her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Ellsworth, Oxford, four sons, Joseph, Vermont; Ralph, Thomaston; John, Albany; and Errol Hatstat, Albany; three daughters, Mrs. Blanche Ryerson, Oxford; Mrs. Louise Willey, Harrison, and Miss Jeanette Hatstat, Albany; three half sisters, Mrs. Ethel Smith, Oxford; Mrs. Bertha Richards, Oxford; and Mrs. Carrie Belanger, Oxford; one brother, William Dionne, Oxford, a half brother, Manly, Ellsworth, Me., and 15 grand-children.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at the Greenleaf funeral home, Rev. Clifford W. Laws, officiating. Interment at the Pine Grove Cemetery, Norway.

TWO MAINE 4-H CLUB GIRLS WIN SCHOLARSHIPS IN NATIONAL CONTESTS

Two outstanding 4-H club girls from Maine now attending the National 4-H Congress in Chicago Monday were announced as winners of \$400 college scholarships in national contests.

Miss Janice M. DeCato, of South Paris, was named a winner in the National 4-H Club Health Contest. Miss Nancy A. Garrett, of Warren, was chosen as winner in the National 4-H Club Clothing Contest. They'll receive appropriately engraved certificates at the final banquet of the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago Thursday.

Both Miss DeCato and Miss Garrett are in Chicago this week along with 25 other Maine 4-H club members and leaders and nearly 2000 delegates from the United States and its territories, plus representatives of many foreign nations.

Miss DeCato, a 1937 graduate of Paris High School, is now a telephone operator. She's 20 years old and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard DeCato of South Paris. As a member and officer of the Ready Workers 4-H Club, she has taken 4-H projects in sewing, foods, home improvement, lands, and junior leadership.

Her outstanding 4-H club work has won the South Paris 4-Her trips to the Eastern States Exposition at West Springfield, Mass., and to the State 4-H Club Contest at the University of Maine. She has given a 4-H demonstration on television and was the 1957 state 4-H dairy foods demonstration winner.

SAVINGS BANK TO DISPLAY COUNTERFEIT MONEY

The Bethel Savings Bank has announced that it will offer the public an unusual opportunity next week to try its hand at distinguishing between counterfeit and genuine money.

According to Colleen Boyd, Assistant Treasurer of the institution, a "Know Your Money" display will be on exhibit in the bank's lobby as a public service for a period of two weeks starting Monday, Dec. 8.

The display will feature an assortment of bills ranging in denominations from \$1 to \$50, some genuine, some counterfeit. Below each bill is a number. This same number appears on one of 14 switch keys along the front of the display. To test one's skill a person simply selects what he believes to be a counterfeit or genuine bill, then pushes the corresponding switch key. This in turn will flash a signal light on the back panel which correctly identifies the bill—red if counterfeit, green if genuine.

Mrs. Boyd stated that she hopes that people will avail themselves of this opportunity to become better informed as to the defects in counterfeit money and thus perhaps lessen their chance of being victimized in the future. She also announced that pamphlets containing detailed information on counterfeit currency printed by the Secret Service Division of the United States Treasury will be passed out to those requesting them.

PLANNING TRAINING CLASSES NOW UNDER WAY IN COUNTY

Program planning training classes are planned for Oxford County as follows: Thursday, Dec. 4, at the Mexico Congregational Church vestry; Friday, Dec. 5, at the Brownfield Church vestry; Tuesday, Dec. 9, at Bethel Home Economics building, Gould Academy; and Wednesday, Dec. 10, at the Fire Hall at South Paris.

Community Project leaders and group officers and their assistants will meet with Mrs. Ruth DeCoteau, Home Demonstration Agent, to learn of the plans for the Extension program for 1959. Craft leaders will be especially interested in the afternoon part of the meeting at which time they will receive information for the craft project for 1959.

The morning program will start at 10 o'clock and the afternoon program at one o'clock.

SUNSET REBEKAH LODGE

Sunset Rebekah Lodge held its regular meeting Monday evening. Communications were read from Martha M. Robinson, President of the Rebekah Assembly, regarding her project for the year, also from Maude Getchell, Past President, in regard to International Month. A letter from the Odd Fellows Home in Auburn was read giving names of inmates and suggesting those who take names to read money, as they needed a little from time to time. Members are requested to bring their Christmas card for each and offering to the MEC Club Monday evening at Hazel Trinward's, and the secretary will read all in together.

Plans were discussed for the reception for our District Deputy, Blanche Berryman, and her District Deputy Marshal, Hazel Trinward, at the T.O.P. Hall Dec. 8th at 8 p. m. Decorating committee, Elsie Poore, Pauline King and Fern Jordan, Program, Eugenia Hazelton, Hazel Trinward, and Lillian Coudige, Refreshments, Alice Taylor, Katherine Bennett and Michel Packard.

The Lodge voted to have Visitation Night by the Warden April 20 and District Meeting, Saturday, April 25, 1959.

Gifts for D.D.P. and D.D.M. to be prepared by Maude Hunt, pot luck supper at Hazel Trinward's Dec. 8.

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Health Council Seeks Clothing, Toys, Footwear

The Bethel Health and Service Council wishes to thank the many who gave to and helped distribute the 34 Thanksgiving baskets last week.

The Council's present project of Christmas gifts for approximately 100 children is underway but more toys, wearable clothing, boots and shoes are desperately needed; at present, the supply of all these items is very low and without more help a very poor showing is indicated. Your generosity is being sought!

Monday night several members of the Hospital Auxiliary met at the Home Economics Cottage to repair and press articles of clothing. It would be most helpful for the Council workers, particularly at this time, if clothes turned in could be in ready condition for immediate packaging for distribution.

A group of Gould Academy dormitory girls are busy making gifts; their thoughtfulness serves to remind us all to do our part toward this worthy cause. Make your holiday a merrier one by helping someone else's Christmas be a bit brighter.

Each representative to the Council is asked to contact his own organization members for donations.

Contributions may be left at the home of Mrs. John Lanni or call her (VA 4-2600) or Mrs. Murray Thurston (VA 4-2808) and arrangements will be made to collect articles.

Mr. and Mrs. Marsters York of Plainfield, Vt., were week end guests of Wesley Wheeler.

Mrs. Ruth Hastings has moved to the third floor rent in Edward Robertson's house for the winter months.

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SCHOOL NEWS

Grade 4—Miss Ballard

We are glad to be back after our Thanksgiving vacation. Many of us are happy to have the snow. We were pleased to get a gold star in writing for last month. In arithmetic we have been working on problems. Tomorrow we are going to have a chance to look at the books for our grade which are now on display in Mrs. Lurvey's room.

Grade 4—Mrs. Ring

We are glad to be back to school after our four day vacation. We are studying quotation marks, and exact words, in our language, and we find it very interesting. We are also studying about Switzerland in our Geography. There are nine Cub Scouts and nine Brownies in our room. We have a book exhibit in Mrs. Helms' room and in Mrs. Lurvey's room. Our room had 100% attendance for the first time in several weeks. —Christie Nowlin, Reporter.

Grade 5—Mrs. Hastings

We received a blue star in writing. We hope to do better next time. We are writing business letters to the 48 states, asking for information on them. The school is having a book exhibit this week. We hope many parents come and see the books. Several people are absent from school with bad colds. The class is divided into pairs for music. Reporters: Patricia Herzing, Allan Walker.

STATE OF MAINE

County of Oxford, ss.

December 1, 1958
Taken this first day of December, on execution dated November 3, 1958, issued on a judgment rendered by the Oxford County Superior Court for the County of Oxford at the term thereof begun and held on the first Tuesday of October, 1958, to wit, on the thirty-first day of October, 1958, in favor of Leon S. Harman, of Lovell, County of Oxford, State of Maine, against Jack Bassett, of said Lovell, for Two Hundred Forty-eight Dollars and Fifty-seven Cents debt or damage, and Twenty-three Dollars and Ninety-nine Cents costs of suit, and will be sold at public auction on the premises in said Lovell, to the highest bidder, on the third day of January, 1959, at ten o'clock in the forenoon the following described real estate and all the right, title and interest which the said Jack Bassett has and had in and to the same on the 11th day of April, 1958 at 11:05 o'clock in the forenoon, the time when the same was attached on the writ in the same suit, to wit:

One third in common and undivided in and to the following real estate with the buildings thereon, all situated in said Lovell, being the same property in its entirety conveyed to Edna M. Bassett by deed of Joseph W. Carwell dated August 2, 1918, recorded in Western District Oxford Registry of Deeds, Book 142, Page 586, therein bounded and described as follows:

"One certain parcel in said Lovell bounded westerly by the Lovell Village and Number Four road, and on all other sides by Joseph Bassett's farmstead, the owner of this parcel to forever keep a good and suitable fence on the lines thereof.

Also a parcel of meadow land of about two acres bounded as follows: Commence at the easterly corner of the Martin lot, run north-easterly to the "rick", so-called, to a stake and stone; thence southerly to the "Woods Meadow" to said Martin lot to a stake and stone, and thence southerly on the line of said Martin lot to the board fence at All is in said Lovell. Also the right of way to said meadow as conveyed to said Edna by Joseph W. Carwell by deed dated August 26, 1904, recorded in Oxford Western District Registry, Book 75, Page 2."

The said Jack Bassett acquired his interest in said real estate by descent from the said Edna W. Bassett, his late wife.

Frank H. Ballard
Deputy Sheriff

ALBANY HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY

Mrs. Harlan Bumpus, Corres. — Mr. and Mrs. Lute Andrews joined the family Thanksgiving Day party at Mr. and Mrs. Albert Keniston's camp at Stoneham.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Allen and grandson, David, spent the week end at their camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Snyder of Higganum, Connecticut, spent the holiday week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stearns.

Among lucky hunters were: Wayne Andrews, Ray Andrews, Hugh Stearns, Howard Imman, Tommy Snyder, Mrs. Arlene Leighton and Mrs. Melba Hall.

Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister were Mr. and Mrs. Rodney McAllister of Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Earle McAllister and children; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie White and children from Maryland; Mrs. Irving Hale and son, Roger; and Mrs. Ella King from Lovell.

The members of the Stephens Memorial Hospital Auxiliary are asked to donate articles (old or new) for the Christmas gift table at the Thrift Shop, Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stearns entertained the following at Thanksgiving dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Imman and children; and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Snyder of Higganum, Conn.

Owen Warren from Cromwell, Conn., spent the Thanksgiving holiday at Mrs. Olive Spinney's. They were in Portland on Friday; and he returned to Connecticut Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clark and children spent a few days with his sister, Mrs. Roy Cluff, at Contooscook, N. H., and on Thursday they all joined the Thanksgiving dinner party at his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clark, Melrose, Mass.

Recent callers at Harlan Bumpus were: Miss Cora Bumpus, Mrs. Richard Merriam and daughters, Madeline and Marilyn, of Auburn; Harlan Kimball; and Mrs. Rachel Hutchison.

Carroll Martin from Harrison was a Thanksgiving Day guest at Alfred Leighton's.

Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hall and Assens were: Mr. and Mrs. Archer Knight of Kennebunkport; and Mr. and Mrs. Angus Cameron and children from Randolph, N. H.

On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Donald Merrill and two boys from Norwalk, Conn., called on his sister, Mrs. Walter Clark and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Haselton and children of Bridgton; and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bumpus and daughter Edith, from New Egypt, N. J., spent Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Bumpus.

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SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. Olive Davis, Corres.

Mrs. Esther Davis and girls were in Livermore Wednesday. Mrs. Davis helped in the entertaining of the guests at her parents' 50th anniversary.

Those who have shot deer the last of the season are: Sayward Lamb, Talato Koskela, William Strout, Walno Heikkinen, Hollis Buck, Gayden Davis, Ethel Davis, Jesse Pierce and Maurice Morgan. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis, Mary Fleming, Myrtle Thurlow, Pauline Bean and Elaine Thurlow were in Lewiston Friday, shopping for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Tyler and children went to Manchester, Conn., with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Tyler of South Paris, to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Sutton Jr. They returned home Saturday.

Dannie Bryant came to Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis' Sunday to spend the winter there.

A party was held for Philip Bolen, Monday, in honor of his birthday. Ice cream and cakes were served following the dinner hour. The pupils of the third grade presented him with a box of chocolate.

later. He received several gifts from the sixth grade.

The school had movies shown this week. One was about oil.

Those in the third grade with 100% in spelling were: Lorraine Davis, Judy Tyler, Craig Morgan, John Cole, Edward Rosenberg, Peggy Wing, Philip House, Andrea Swan, Dennis Poland, Monica Porter, Cynthia Farnum, Clayton York, Kathy Emmons.

Allen Geer of Hartford, Conn., visited at Mr. and Mrs. Lenwood Andrews for a few days after Thanksgiving.

Hollis Buck returned to his station Sunday after spending two weeks with his parents and family, Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Buck, and Mrs. Hollis Buck and three children.

A mail shower was given to Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Wing who are in Florida, at the Union Church Sunday afternoon, by Andrea Wing and Mrs. Charibel Poland. The gifts will be sent to the newlyweds as they are wrapped.

Mrs. Sayward Lamb and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Allen at Buckfield Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Andrews

spent the last part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Andrews.

SUNDAY RIVER

Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres.

The Estes Yates family had their Thanksgiving dinner at the Clayton Blakes, Sunday.

Several disappointed hunters went without their game this year. Among the lucky ones at the end of the season were Earl Williamson, Richmond Roderick, and Mrs. Kenneth Hutchinson, all got bucks. This road had to be sanded on Thanksgiving day.

Our first big snow left 8 inches. Mrs. Bertha Bean has gone to visit her sister in Rhode Island. Mrs. Mary Kendall returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Foster returned Friday from Garden City, N. Y.

Mrs. Mabel Beckler is a patient

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WEST PARIS

Mrs. Roxie Imman, Corres.

Miss Florence Imman, friends in Somerville, Mass., Over 45 friends and relatives extended open house Saturday to extend silver wedding congratulations to Mrs. Howard Ellingwood.

The fair was arranged by the Mrs. James Young, Mrs. Arlene Ellingwood and Medelyn Herrick. Mrs. Childs had charge of the book and gifts. The table was centered with a decorated anniversary cake made by Mrs. Ma.

Mrs. Little Ellingwood, punch and Mrs. Ella E. served coffee. The honorees were the recipients of gift money and many colorful messages. Mr. and Mrs. Ellingwood were married

Paris 25 years ago, by R. Maxwell. Both attending schools, Mrs. Ellingwood, Ed from West Paris High School. She is a member

ward Bethel Lodge, Chapter, OES, West Paris. Mrs. Ellingwood is associated with the J. H. E. and Sons in the lumbering.

They are the parents of Mr. and Mrs. Joan Young, granddaughter, Jan Young. Funeral services for Mr. Stearns, R. N., were held

Universalist Church Friday noon. Rev. Donald M. officiated. The Ring-Mo. L. Post and Auxiliary attended. Burial was in the cemetery.

West Paris. Mrs. Minnie Mae Crow and Edwin T. Bisbee, of Paris, were killed in an accident near Mrs. Ch.

home, during the snow storm night, Nov. 28. A funeral service was held at W. Andrews & Son funeral

South Woodstock, Tuesday noon, Elder Alton Verrill, Entombment at Cemetery, West Paris.

Week end guests of Mrs. Albert Coffey were Mr. and Mrs. Norman

vester, Burnt Hills, N. Y. Week end and holiday

Rev. and Mrs. Felix Mayhew, nephew, Mark Sundell, M.

Miss Eve Day, Salem, Mass., had her parents on Wed. and Thursday.

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here by the death of her Miss Ruth Stearns, R. N. Week end guests of Miss

and Donita Proctor were Charles Swain, Bethel, and Alice Culbert, Oxford.

Mrs. Velma Carpenter, J. Billie, South Portland, guests of her brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Milton, several days last week.

Warren Emery has on the U. S. Navy.

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WEST PARIS

Mrs. Roxie Inman, Corres.
Miss Florence Ralph is visiting friends in Somerville, Mass.

Over 65 friends and relatives attended open house Saturday night to extend silver wedding anniversary congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ellingwood. The affair was arranged by their daughter, Mrs. James Young, assisted by Mrs. Arlene Ellingwood and Mrs. Medelyn Herrick. Mrs. Dorothy Childs had charge of the guest book and gifts. The refreshment table was centered with a beautiful decorated anniversary cake, which was made by Mrs. Mae Emery. Mrs. Little Ellingwood dipped punch and Mrs. Lila Ellingwood served coffee. The honored couple were the recipients of gifts, including money and many congratulatory messages. Mr. and Mrs. Ellingwood were married at North Paris 25 years ago, by Rev. Alton Maxwell. Both attended Paris schools. Mrs. Ellingwood graduated from West Paris High and Mr. Ellingwood attended Paris High School. She is a member of Onward Rehebeah Lodge, Granite Chapter, OES, West Paris Home Extension. Mr. Ellingwood is associated with the J. H. Ellingwood and Sons in the lumbering business. They are the parents of a daughter, Mrs. Joan Young, and a granddaughter, Jan Young.

Funeral services for Miss Ruth Stearns, R. N., were held at the Universalist Church Friday afternoon. Rev. Donald M. Hinkley officiated. The Ring-McKeen A. L. Post and Auxiliary attended in a body. Bearers were Albert Searls, Maynard Chase, Clarence Reid and Verner Smith, members of the Ring-McKeen Post. Interment was in Wayside Cemetery, West Paris.

Mrs. Minnie Mae Crawford, 65, and Edwin T. Bibebe, 69, West Paris, were killed in a highway accident near Mrs. Crawford's home, during the snow storm Friday night, Nov. 28. A double funeral service was held at the I. V. Andrews & Son funeral home, South Woodstock, Tuesday afternoon. Elder Alton Verrill officiating. Entombment at Wayside Cemetery, West Paris.

Week end guests of Rev. and Mrs. Albert Coffey were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sylvester, Burnt Hills, N. Y.

Week end and holiday guest of Rev. and Mrs. Felix Mayblom was her nephew, Mark Sundell, U. of M.

Miss Eve Day, Salem, Mass., visited her parents on Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Ellen Stuart and two sons of New York City are spending several days with her mother, Mrs. Linnie Stearns. She was called here by the death of her sister, Miss Ruth Stearns, R. N.

Week end guests of Misses Donna and Donita Proctor were Misses Charlene Swain, Bethel, and Pamela Culbert, Oxford.

Mrs. Velma Carpenter, Jane and Billie, South Portland, were the guests of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Inman, several days last week.

Warren Emery has enlisted in the U. S. Navy.

Roger Polvinen, hunting accident victim, returned from the Ste-

SKILLINGTON

Mrs. Ola Tift, Corres.
Mr. and Mrs. Lucius McAllister drove to Norway last Monday to bring their granddaughter, Frances Dodge, home for Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baker and family spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. William Young and family.

Mrs. Lila Brown and Ellen were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morgan, Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Hanscom and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baker and family.

A family Thanksgiving gathering was held Sunday, Nov. 30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Blake. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Blake, Loreta and Kaye, Mr. and Mrs. Estes Yates, Carroll and Russell Yates, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Haines and family, all of Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Whitman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hayes and Elmer Hayes of West Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Yates, David, Hilda and Alvin of South Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Michael Waisanen and Debra of Norway; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hayes of Bryant Pond; Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Yates and children of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Rodley Adams and children of Lovell, and Glenn Hayes of Greenville. Paul Korhonen was home over the week end and from his work at Bangor. He visited at the Edward Haines' home Saturday afternoon.

phenia Memorial Hospital Saturday.

Mrs. Louella Andrews left for Washington, D. C., where she will spend the winter with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William King.

Abner Benson, South Woodstock, will spend the winter with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Appleby. Week end guests of the Applebys were Miss Mary Smith, Melrose, Mass., and her mother, Mrs. Smith, Gardner; Richard Smith, Keene, N. H.; Mr. and Mrs. Earlon Hadley and son, Lonnie; South Windham; Miss Betty Appleby, R. N., Washington Missionary College, Washington; Miss Clara Hammond, Portland.

Miss Mary Brett, R. N., graduate of West Paris High School in '52, is taking special courses for a Bachelor of Science degree at U. C. L. A., Pasadena City College and Los Angeles City College.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Perham (Pauline Phillips) have moved to Denver, Colo. Mr. Perham is attending the University of Denver. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Perham.

Mrs. Helen Smith Cole is a surgical patient at the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

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Mrs. David Foster, Corres.
Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Mollicone and children of Winthrop left for their home Sunday after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Noyes for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haines and sons, Freddie and Charlie, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Curtis in Poland Sunday.

Holiday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Urban Bartlett were Mr. and Mrs. Willis Bartlett; Clayton Bartlett; John Hobson and David Sergeant of Kennebunk; and Miss Dorothy Bartlett of Boston.

Pvt. Robert Coolidge has moved to Ft. Jackson, S. C. His new address is-Pvt. Robert A. Coolidge, N G 2119882; Company D, 12 Battalion, 3rd Training Regiment, Fort Jackson, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Akers of Andover were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Maggie Newton. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Falkenham; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Falkenham, children, Glenda and Brandon Falkenham, of Andover, were Thanksgiving Day guests of Mrs. Newton.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Swan and son of South Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Henry McAllister of Mechanic Falls were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Coffin.

Mrs. Marguerite Bartlett and Miss Shirley Bartlett had a nice trip west and have found an apartment near Bernard Bartlett. Their new address is 173 W. Stadium Drive, Stockton, California. They report seeing roses, geraniums and petunias in bloom there.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Verrill and children of Milton Road, Bethel, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Palmer of Mexico were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip DesRoches.

Mr. and Mrs. David Simmons and children, Dickie, Bruce and Becky, of Andover; Mr. and Mrs. William Cushing and son, Billy, of Townsend, Mass.; Mrs. Lillian Bailey of Rumford; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Remington and family were Thanksgiving Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McEwen.

Alan Remington celebrated his 8th birthday on Nov. 22 with a party at his home. Present were John Thurston; Stevie Carter; Bradley Fiske, Topper Fiske, Allan Howe, Tommy, Robert and Sonny Remington. Ice cream, cake and punch were served by the hostess, Mrs. Clarence Remington. Alan received many nice gifts.

Lucky hunters since last report are Ben Tyler, Harris Tyler, Albert Foster, Curtis Winslow, George Haines, John DeLotto, Haakon Olson, and Walter Hamlin of South Waterford.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Curtis and family of Lake George, N. Y., left Sunday for home after being with

MIDDLE INTERVAL

Mary C. Stanley, Corres.
Mrs. Alma LaFayette returned to her home in Portland, Tuesday.

Headmaster Edward R. Stanley of MCI, Pittsfield, Maine, and stepson, Wayne Storey, were callers at the Stanley home, Saturday.

Mrs. Winnifred Bartlett spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Gunther and John, had as guests Mrs. David Prince and two daughters of Lisbon Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gunther.

Thanksgiving guests of Ranald Stevens and Sarah Morgan were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Irvine, Mr. and Mrs. Carey Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens and family.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Ward and family Thanksgiving were, Mrs. Jennie Cates and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lurvey and family of Gorham, Maine. Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Howe and two sons spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Howe at Locke Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Swan and two children of Bryant Pond called at L. E. Davis', Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Davis held a family reunion Thanksgiving. Guests were, Mrs. Alma LaFayette. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis and family, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Deek and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamlin and two sons of Falmouth Foreside. The Hamlins remained until Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Curtis for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Tyler and children moved into their new home Monday.

Hugh Hastings, Jr., of Fryeburg, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings this week.

Miss Rena Hilton, Miss Ann Hastings of the University of Maine, and Dave Morton of Westbrook were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Boyce and family have moved to Bethel for the winter.

Alder River Grange No. 145 will hold a regular meeting on Dec. 6. All grangers are welcome to visit us.

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NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. C. James Knights, Cor.
Mrs. Ray Thompson of Rumford Point, Mr. and Mrs. Win Gamble of Prince Edward Island visited Monday afternoon at Peter Rosenberg's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Smart of Rumford spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Abbott visited one evening at South Paris with Miss Hazel Abbott and Mr. Jackson.

Mrs. Clinton Buck is helping her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Sherwood Buck, and family, forenoons.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson Wheeler of Danbury, Conn., were holiday and week end guests of his sister, Mrs. Mary Knights and Billy.

Mrs. Frank Coffin has finished work at Birch Villa and is at home. Thanksgiving Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Buck entertained Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Buck and family. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Hanno Cushman and family were with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Billings and family and Lloyd Davis were with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Davis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Abbott of Massachusetts were at their home here. At dinner they entertained her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B.

Harrington, of Bangor, and in the afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Harland Abbott and Mrs. Judy Gilmour of Farmington, Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott entertained at dinner Mr. and Mrs. Harland Abbott and Mrs. Judy Gilmour of Farmington.

Mrs. Frank Coffin had several of her children and families.

Mr. and Mrs. C. James Knights and Shari had Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Knights and children of Bethel. Mrs. Addie Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell and children, of South Paris, and Herman Cole.

Mrs. Mary Knights and Billy, and her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Watson Wheeler of Danbury, Conn., were with Mr. and Mrs. George Wheeler, Dixfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rosenberg and family were with her parents, at Rumford, Friday.

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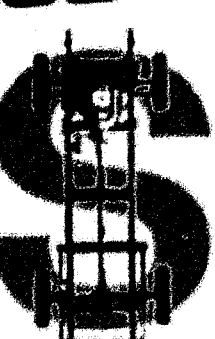
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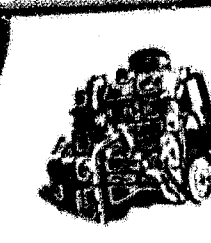
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EDITORIAL

It has long been our opinion that human nature changes little through the years. The misbehavior of the younger generation has always perturbed the old timers, and it may well continue to do so through all time. Deeds which approach vandalism are never excusable and are practically without exception the work of persons old enough to know better.

After the damaging mischief has been done it helps little to realize that older people, usually parents, have failed in their responsibility of example and counsel to the guilty parties. Although too many parents often neglect their child, often in one way or another. Too often their practice of overlooking the bringings of wayward habits, or of treating lightly reports of lapses from good citizenship, can but serve to promote lax attitudes of the young members of their families.

All this of course is not a good excuse for any degree of hoodlumism which sometimes seems to go on a "follow the leader" pattern. Parents frequently are known to

encourage this habit in early childhood when they feel that their children must keep up with others and not learn to say "No" occasionally. This habit of being a "yes-man" in order to stand well with others is but a common trait of many adults.

The defense that young folks will be doing folks is a poor excuse for damaging property at Halloween time, especially when numerous wholesome forms of entertainment are generously provided. It is pleasing to realize that most of the younger folks of Bethel, and of course in nearly every community, are well behaved and wish to be so, and we should be proud of them.

Inasmuch as there is never a satisfactory reason for any conduct that ignores the rights of others, it would seem that fear of detection and punishment will be the only cure for local troubles. If this is to be the solution it may be necessary to bring into court such offenders as may be discovered even though such procedure is inconvenient without a local court.

WHAT DOES HE MEAN?



TODAY'S Meditation

from

The Upper Room

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Thursday, December 4

Read Romans 6:13-18
Thou art made whole; sin no more, lest a worse thing come unto thee. (John 5:14)

After the petals had dropped from the blossoms of the young cherry tree in my garden, I watched the tender leaves unfold their shiny newness. A weblike substance covered the end of one branch. Hastily, I pulled the web away and destroyed the tent caterpillars inside before they devoured the leaves. The crumpled leaves soon opened and grew healthy in the fresh air and sunlight.

My less fortunate neighbors had been beset by the pests. The leaves on their young trees were destroyed by the caterpillars. The year's harvest was lost, and many of the trees were seriously damaged.

As tent caterpillars eat the life and beauty out of a tree, undetected sin damages the personality and character of a man. When we live close to Christ, we detect each unworthiness as it arises, and the ugliness can be plucked away before much damage is done.

PRAYER: Dear God, Creator of all living things, help me to guard my body so that it will be a living temple. Guide my growth in Christian love. Whatever talents Thou hast given me, help me to preserve them against the destructive power of evil and develop them for Thy honor and glory. For the Master's sake. Amen.

Thought For The Day
Sin is anything which alienates me from God. —Winifred Graber (California)

CHURCH NEWS

BETHEL METHODIST CHURCH

Richard M. Hamilton, Pastor
Sunday, Dec. 7:
9:45 a. m. Church School Session. Miss Minnie Wilson, Superintendent.

11:00 a. m. Family Worship Hour and Nursery Activity Program. Sermon theme: "How Far to Bethlehem?"

12:00. Monthly Meeting of the Official Board. All members are urged to be present for this meeting.

6:30. Senior and Intermediate YMF Meetings at the church. Tuesday, Dec. 9:

6:30. Men's Brotherhood. Father and Son Dinner Meeting. Wednesday, Dec. 10:

6:30. Beacon Gordon Guild Meeting at the home of Mrs. Mary Faine, pot luck supper.

Thursday, Dec. 11:
7:00. Choir Rehearsal.

WEST PARISH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Rev. Clifford W. Laws, Minister
Sunday, Dec. 7:

Morning Worship, 11:00. Sermon theme, "They That Pause By The Wayside."

Church Nursery, 11:00.
Church School, 9:30.
Pilgrim Fellowship, 6:30.
Wednesday, Dec. 10:

Women's Fellowship Circle Day. All Circles are meeting except Circle 8 which will meet on Dec. 17th.

CATHOLIC SERVICES
The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered Sunday at 8:30 in the Legion Hall. The Gould Academy students will receive Religious Instructions after Mass.

Children in elementary grades of Bethel have catechism at 10:00 A. M. Saturday at Mrs. Virgie McMillin's on Bridge St.

The Legion of Mary will meet each Tuesday at 7:30 P. M. at Mrs. Virgie McMillin's.

The Promoters of the League of the Sacred Heart meet the third Sunday of the month after Mass. Choir practice each Saturday at 1:00 P. M. at John Nowlin's home, South Bethel.

Preparation for First Holy Communion given by Mrs. McGowan at her home Wednesday after school.

ORTHODOX
At the Legion Rooms.
Rev. Charles Stanton, Minister.
Church School, 10 o'clock.
Sunday School, 10 o'clock.
Midweek Services:
Wednesday night, Young Peoples' Bible study and prayer 8 o'clock. Everyone is welcome.

guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Chapman.

Herbert Morton 3rd was at home from Dartmouth College. He was accompanied by a classmate, Kendall Bailey of Kansas. Mr. and Mrs. Archie Post of Jericho, Vt. were dinner guests.

Mr. and Mrs. George Learned, Jr. and Mrs. George Learned, Jr. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis.

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LUTHERAN SERVICES

Lutheran Services will be held in the Congregational Church the first Sunday in every month at 2:30 p. m. with Rev. E. Fehiau of Lewiston, minister. The next service will be December 7.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

The spiritual basis of all creation will be set forth at Christian Science services Sunday in the Legion-Hall entitled "God the Only Cause and Creator."

The Golden Text: "Have we not all one father? hath not one God created us?" (Malachi 2:10).

"How Christian Science Heals": Radio, WGAN, 9:00 a. m., Sunday, Dec. 7, subject, "No Condition is Hopeless." Channel 13, 9:45 a. m. Sunday, Dec. 7, subject, "Basis of Unfailing Protection."

WEST BETHEL UNION CHURCH
Grant Kierker, Pastor
Rev. Paul Head,
Sunday School Supervisor

9 a. m. Sunday School.
10 a. m. Worship Service.
5 p. m. Maple Grove Youth Fellowship.

LOCKE MILLS LUNCE CHURCH
Church School, 9:30 to 10:30
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.

BRYANT POND UNIVERSALIST CHURCH
Sunday Services at 9 a. m.: Rev. Donald Hickey, Pastor, Mrs. A. H. Mann, Organist.

Sunday School at 10:15. Mrs. Gertrude Andrews, Supt.
Board of Management Meeting. Tuesday night, Dec. 9.

Christmas Bazaar by Ladies Circle at Town Hall, Saturday, Dec. 6, starting at 1 p. m. Christmas greens by Fellowship; Candy by Sunday School.

BRYANT POND BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. O. E. Lindahl, Pastor
Saturday, Dec. 6:
Youth for Christ at Norway.

Sunday, Dec. 7:
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship Service, 10:30.

Special music.
Evening Service, 7:30 p. m.
Monday, Dec. 8:
Upper Room Fellowship, 7 p. m.

Wednesday, Dec. 10:
Midweek Bible Study and Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p. m.

Thursday, Dec. 11:
Junior choir rehearsal, 4:30 p. m.
Senior choir rehearsal, 7:30 p. m.

guests included George Wright and family of Upton; Willard Owen, Paul, and John Wright and their families of Newry, and Mrs. Fred Staples and two children of West Peru.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vall were dinner guests of Mrs. Robert Davis.

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UPTON

— Mrs. C. A. Jenkins, Corres. —
Mrs. Porter of Lyndonville, Vt., is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Albin Barnett for a while.

Mrs. Albin Barnett was the recipient of a clock choker at the home of Mrs. Lila Barnett Friday evening last week. She received many nice gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wight and family of Willard, were holiday and week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ean Barnett and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wight in Newry.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jenkins were hosts Saturday evening Nov. 28th at a Thanksgiving dinner and party to most of their children and grandchildren. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jenkins and children, Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick Jenkins and family, Mr. and Mrs. Stoddard Jenkins and family, all of Upton; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jenkins and family of Rumford Point; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar M. Bailey, Jr. and son of Millinocket. There were 52 present. Their daughter, Mrs. Henry E. Abbott and family of East Newry were unable to come.

Miss Lucille Cavallero was home from "Our Lady of the Grace" School in Colbrook, N. H. for the Thanksgiving recess.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Jenkins and family were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hathaway at a family reunion on Thanksgiving Day at Bryant Pond.

All of the high school students were home from their respective schools for the Thanksgiving recess.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Gary and family of Sandy River were Thanksgiving Day guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lombard.

Fifty-nine deer were tagged at Judkins' store this year.

W. L. Brown and Lella Brown spent Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. Geo Brown in South Windham.

The Parent Teachers meeting was held Monday evening Dec. 1st at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick Jenkins.

The Air Force supervisor from Portland was in town Monday and called on the driver equipment, as it is no longer being used.

There was snow and bad weather the last part of last week. Monday morning the temperature was 6 above 40 Tuesday morning it was 15 above.

WEST BETHEL

— Mrs. Ruth Gilbert, Corres. —
Alman 25c George P. Stowell, III, who is stationed at West-over Field, Mass., spent the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell, Jr.

Miss June Burris, Boston, Mass., spent the holiday and week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Burris. Other Thanksgiving Day guests at the Burris home were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Burris and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burris.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hutchinson and children, Westboro, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Hutchinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rolfe were at Boston, recently.

Eldred Rolfe, who is studying at Farmington State Teachers' College, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rolfe.

Mr. and Mrs. James Murphy, Old Town, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lovejoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Abbott, of South Portland, were week-end guests of Mrs. Mary Abbott.

Mrs. Lona Gilbert spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hall, Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bennett and son were at Monmouth for Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boyd and son spent the holiday with his parents at Woodville, N. H.

Charles Thomson and family, children of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Cough have been confined for several days with colds.

Mrs. Roy Newton is a patient at Rumford Community Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Gilbert and family were at Berlin, Monday.

Port and Bobby Gilbert were at Fort Fairfield during the week-end.

Mrs. Emerson Clough was honor guest at a post-natal shower at her home Monday evening. Mrs. Clough was presented a sweater and the baby a dress from the group. A social evening and refreshments were enjoyed. Those attending were Mrs. Clarence Rolfe, Mrs. Clayton Kendall, Mrs. Raymond Saunders, Mrs. Andrew Boyd, Mrs. Donald Bennett, Mrs. Shirley Gilbert, Mrs. Herman Bennett, Mrs. Albert Smith and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert.

Mrs. Richard Walker was unable to attend.

COUNTRY FLAVOR

A man who has the chance to poke a fire need never be lonely. Certain inalienable rights are an integral part of our form of government, and one which should be exercised by more citizens is the privilege of poking a fire during the winter.

Satisfying fire poking depends upon several factors. A fireplace must be so constructed that it provides a reasonable draft. As in planking or gardening, basic fundamentals are essential; but granted a good fireplace, one needs to use a sizeable bag of kindling and medium-sized pieces to get the fire going. And of course, after operations begin in the fall, one maintains a deep bed of ashes all the time.

A good fire poker does not necessarily pay much attention to the state of the fire. Perhaps it is better to poke a fire when it is not necessary than when it has burned too low, for a topflight poker never lets his hearth flame dwindle to the point where the flames have died away.

The amount of fire poking is not a critical point. A briskly-burning fire can be happily poked each few minutes, and many men skilled in the art poke a fire frequently. This may cause ironical comment from help-mate or offspring, but a dedicated poker is not deterred by irony. A poke or two here and there causes the sparks to fly pleasantly—and possibly a few ashes to scatter on the hearth. That is what a man wants, for then he can take his short-handed brush broom and sweep things together.

We have nothing against television or radio. Such has earned its niche in the scene Americana. We do claim, however, that the art of fire poking should not be allowed to disappear. Men have poked fires from ancient days, and one reason for it is that they know a flame on the hearth means a glow in the heart.

SONGO POND
— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —
Mrs. Marion Kimball and family were guests Thanksgiving of her sister and family in Milan, N. H.

Cousins at Ralph Kimball's were Mrs. Irene Hutchinson, Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. William Martin and three boys, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Curtis, Mrs. Julia Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Callahan and three girls, all of Mechanic Falls; George and Lily Cooper and Louis Pappas of Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bancroft and children spent the holiday and week-end in Hudson and Newbury, N. H., with the Fred Pinkhams and Lawrence Belsa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kimball and Mrs. Maud Ordine spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kimball, Bryant Pond.

HICKING ASSIGNED TO BRUNSWICK NAVAL AIR STATION
Robert C. Herring, Air Control man Chief, Mason M. Bethel, reported at the U. S. Naval Air Station, Brunswick, Maine, last night with the assignment.

Herring, called the Navy in June 1958. His last duty was at the U. S. Naval Air Station, Brunswick, Maine.

His wife is the former Arlene J. Herring, Bethel. She has two children, Patricia, 11; Sandra, 8; Robert, 5; Michael, 7; Joseph, 5; and Marjorie, 3.

Fred Auger and family were with his mother at Kidderville.

Mrs. Bess Smith, Bethel, and Priscilla Cary of Bryant Pond, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. George Learned, Jr. and Mrs. George Learned, Jr. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis.

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Order guaranteed rose plants for next spring now through Jackson & Perkins Club Plan. Ask about gift roses. PHYLLIS DOCK, Club Secretary. Vandyke 4-2778. 49-50p

FOR SALE - 1 pair ski boots, size 2. 4 foot skis. 1 pair girl's white figure skates, size 13. MRS. WALLACE SAUNDERS, Vandyke 4-2205. 49-50

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FOR SALE - HOCKEY SKATES, size 6. Tel. VA 4-2605. 49

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OPPORTUNITY IS A
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In his history of the second World War, "Their Greatest Hour," Winston Churchill tells of a certain moment, just after Dunkirk, when Hitler could have invaded England, and have captured the country almost without bloodshed. But Hitler did not recognize his opportunity, and soon it was forever too late.

Opportunity, good or bad, is like that. Shakespeare, in "Julius Caesar" makes Brutus say to Cassius, on the eve of a battle that was to decide the destiny of the world: "There is a tide in the affairs of men, Which taken at the flood, leads on to fortune."

Particularly is it true in religion. There is a tide in the souls of men. A young college student went to church one Sunday, and was deeply stirred by the appeal that was made for young men and women to devote their lives to full religious service. He himself was the grandson of one of America's greatest religious leaders, Jonathan Edwards.

He went to talk with one of his teachers. The teacher advised him to reconsider. "Don't be too hasty. You're a brilliant person. You have a great future. Don't waste your life." So he decided to become a politician. Little by little, his vision faded, as he learned to compromise with his better nature. His name is well known in American history. It is Aaron Burr, who chose the easy way, who became a failure and in a sense a traitor to his country, when he might have become one of its great spiritual leaders.

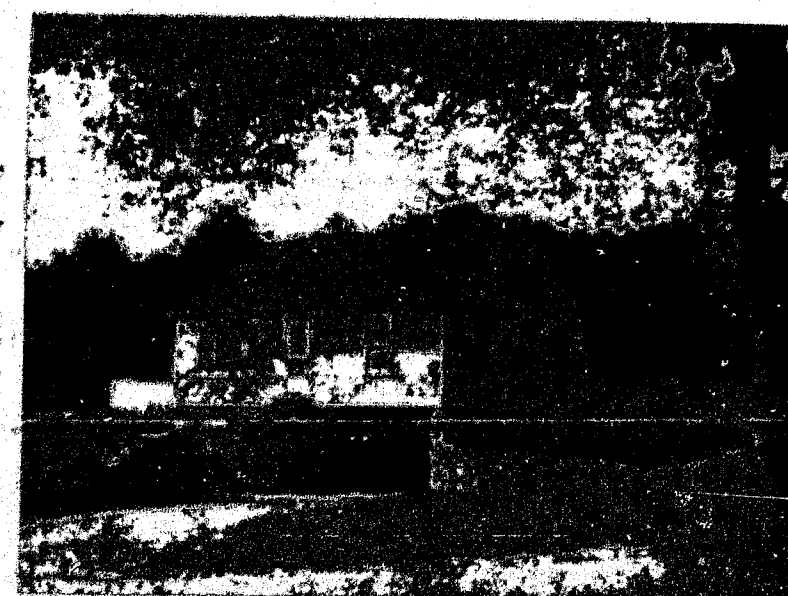
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GI LOAN APPLICANTS
CONTINUE AT HIGH RATE

Applications for GI loan guaranty benefits continued at an unprecedented rate during October, M. L. Stoddard, Veterans Administration head in Maine, has announced. Appraisal requests were received in numbers which exceeded any month on record, which may be considered an indication of actual requests for loans in succeeding months. A total of 277 appraisal requests were processed, 221 of which were from private lending institutions and the balance, 56, being handled under the VA's own Direct Loan Program.

Lenders submitted 230 guaranteed loan applications during October, approximately 10 % of which were for new construction cases. Here in Maine, Stoddard said, VA starts have increased approximately 30% to date in 1958 over the comparable period in 1957, which is notable in view of the national increase in residential construction, which has been reported as only 6.1%.

Stoddard stated that with the approach of winter months GI loan activity could be expected to slacken somewhat. The backlog of loan applications expected from the appraisal requests already processed indicates a continuation of the recent busy season experienced by the Loan Guaranty Division of the VA in Maine.



The house of Major and Mrs. Sidney Dyke of Wichita, Kansas, located on Vernon Street. This residence, built in 1951, is now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Francis Berry and family.

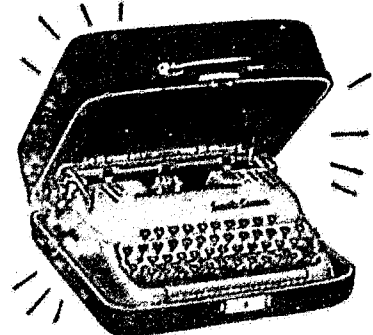
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does not respond to the pulling of that tide, when it is present in his life.

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BRYANT POND

— Mrs. Edith C. Abbott, Corres. — Thanksgiving Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alden Chase were Dr. and Mrs. A. Stephen Chase, Jeffrey, Jennifer and Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Edminster and Mrs. Anna Pierce, of Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cushman entertained at a belated Thanksgiving dinner Saturday, Maynard Cushman, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cushman and Deborah, Auburn; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schert, Robert, Jr., Wendy and Janet, of Wethersfield, Conn.

Mrs. Gertrude Davis, Miss Harriette Stetson, Mr. and Mrs. Seymour McAllister, spent the Thanksgiving holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Stetson, Auburn.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wheeler and Mr. and Mrs. George Wheeler were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wheeler, Hilton and Carol; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Brown, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Charest and Raymond; East Wilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Bolen and family have moved from Greenwood Center to a rent in the Burnham house.

Mrs. Geraldine Brown, chairman of the Norway Thrift Shop, is requesting items for a Christmas table, by two weeks before Christmas. These need not be new but something that will be suitable for a gift. Donations will be taken by Mrs. Ruth Tyler and Mrs. Lucia Verrill.

The Universalist Ladies Circle met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Juanita Allen and completed plans for their sale, Saturday, Saturday, Dec. 6.

Whitman Library has recently received as gifts, "A Directory of Maine Manufacturers—1958" which will be of interest to business men and "The Evidence of God in an Expanding Universe," edited by John Clover Monsa, in which 40 leading American scientists declare their affirmative views on religion.

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the eighteenth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-eight, from day to day from the eighteenth day of said November. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bethel Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the sixteenth day of December A. D. 1958, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Harold S. Day, late of Woodstock, deceased; First and Final Account presented for allowance by Etta B. Day, Executrix.

Emma I. Ordway of Woodstock, now deceased; Second and Final Account presented for allowance by Sylvia O. Judkins, Conservator.

Grace Swan, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and Petition for Probate thereof and the appointment of Sylvia E. Conroy as Executrix of the same, to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Sylvia E. Conroy, the Executrix therein named.

Austin Wheeler, late of Bethel, deceased; Second and Final Account for the benefit of Jasper C. Cates presented for allowance by Henry H. Hastings, Trustee.

Witness, Robert T. Smith Judge of said Court at Paris, this eighteenth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-eight.

EARLE R. CLIFFORD, Register

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GOULD ACADEMY

The boys of Holden Hall will be hosts at their annual dormitory party on Saturday evening, Dec. 6, at 7:30, at Holden Hall. There will be dancing and entertainment, and refreshments will be served.

Students of Gould Academy are invited to attend the Christmas Tea on Sunday, Dec. 7, from three until five o'clock, at Gehring Hall. Members of the girls' dormitory council are making all necessary arrangements under the general chairmanship of Donna Jean Bigos, president of the council.

Volleyball continues for intermural. There will be a freshman-sophomore volleyball game Saturday at 10:00 a. m. in the William Bingham Gymnasium against Stephens High of Rumford.

Basketball Schedule, 1958-1959

Tuesday, Dec. 9, Bridgton at Gould

Friday, Dec. 12, Norway at Gould

Tuesday, Dec. 16, at Mexico

Thursday, Dec. 18, Farmington at Gould

VACATION

Friday, Jan. 9, Old Orchard at Gould

Tuesday, Jan. 13, at Bridgton

Friday, Jan. 16, South Paris at Gould

Tuesday, Jan. 20, at Mechanic Falls (Norway Armory)

Friday, Jan. 23, at Norway

Tuesday, Jan. 27, at Farmington

Friday, Jan. 30, Mechanic Falls at Gould

Tuesday, Feb. 3, Mexico at Gould

Friday, Feb. 6, at South Paris

Wednesday, Feb. 11, St. Patrick's (Berlin) at Gould

Bridgton, Norway, South Paris, Mechanic Falls and Mexico are Western Maine Conference games.

Francis "Bill" Berry, graduate of Gould in 1944, will take over the basketball coaching duties. Berry was high point man on Coach Anderson's 1944 team that won 12 games and lost 1. He also had basketball experience at Bates College,

from which he graduated in 1949, and in the armed forces.

Berry starts his first year with two strikes already against him as he has no letterman returning from last year. At summer, the only letterman and captain-elect has been forced to give up basketball for the season because of an injury. The team will have to build from a number of junior varsity prospects.

PROBATE APPOINTMENTS

The following subscribers hereby give notice that they have received the appointments as indicated from the Probate Court of Oxford County. All persons having demands against the estates represented by them are requested to present the same for settlement and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately:—

Arthur V. Chapman, late of Woodstock, deceased; Franklin B. Chapman of Bethel, Administrator with bond, October 30, 1958.

Nancy Cole of Bethel, a minor; Susie M. Cole of Paris, Guardian with bond, October 30, 1958.

James C. Bartlett, late of Bethel, deceased; Marguerite C. Bartlett of Bethel, Executrix without bond, November 18, 1958. 48-50

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Mrs. Omar Giberson and Gene Kimball from Bingham called on her father, Leon L. Kimball, also the Wardwells on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews spent the holiday and week end with the Arthur Wardwells.

Herman Gatchell from Gorham, Maine, also Mr. and Mrs. Guy Gatchell from Westbrook, were hunting in this locality on Saturday.

GREENWOOD CITY

— Mrs. Collista Morgan, Corres. — Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Morgan have moved to the Kuvaja house.

Mrs. Roland Hayes was in Portland on Friday.

Glenn Hayes who teachers in Greenville was at his home here over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan had as Thanksgiving guests Mr. and Mrs. Franze Mills, Ronald, Jerry, and Sharon, of Shapleigh, and Richard Wentworth of Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hakala and family were dinner guests on Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Morey, Norway.

Duane Hayes of Gorham State Teachers College was at home over the holidays.

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After a bad snowstorm on Friday

MAGALLOWAY

— Mrs. Bessie Harvey, Corres. — Harold McGinley of Whitefield closed his house in Wentworth Location for the winter Sunday. His family were there with him for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Milton Cameron of Belmont, Mass., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Donald Cameron, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stranger with their son, Joey, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Albert, all of Berlin, spent Thanksgiving with Fred Bennett. The Strangers stayed over the week end.

Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. Bessie Harvey were Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Harvey, their daughters, Kathy and Margot, Mrs. Dorothy Abbott, with her sons, Ronnie and Randall, and her daughter, Laurel, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sabin and daughter, Stephanie, and Miss Joan Eastman. Mrs. Abbott with Laurel and Randall stayed until Sunday afternoon, returning to their home in Fairfield then.

The Friday evening dance was not very well attended owing to the big snowstorm. This was the last dance of the season.

The Grange meeting at Wilson's Mills which was on Friday evening was also very poorly attended.

Mrs. Nora Bennett still continues quite ill.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gilman spent Sunday afternoon with her cousin, Mrs. Mohel Cameron.

Wendall and Larry Bragg were home over the holiday, also Judith and Ronnie Griffin, Brenda and Claude Lowell, Maurice Bennett, Stanley West and Leslie Olson.

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Those who try to live within their incomes are just trying to mess up prosperity,"—Advertiser's Digest.

Largest county enrollments are in Aroostook, Androscoggin-Sagadahoc, Hancock, Kennebec, Waldo, Cumberland and Oxford. Membership remains open in County Extension Associations for several months yet. Extension members support Extension's educational work in agriculture, homemaking, 4-H clubs, and allied fields.

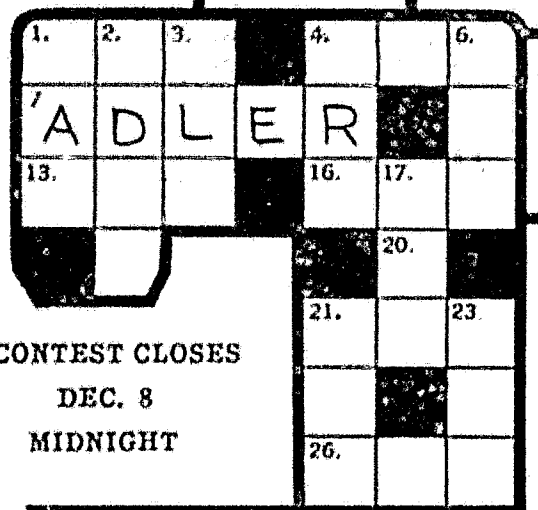
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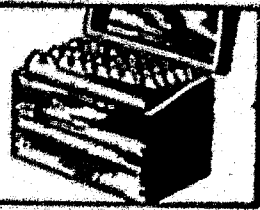
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10 YEARS AGO

Over tagged at Bethel inspection stations totaled 211.

Albert Franklin Stewart, Indian bass-baritone of the Chickasaw Nation, presented a program of Indian lore and song at the William Hingham Gymnasium.

The Little Shop in the Barn, operated by the Humphreys, closed for an indefinite period.

20 YEARS AGO

James Spence's new house at South Bethel was nearly completed.

Spence at the Grand Trunk Station, Bethel, was at a high point. Many trucks were engaged

in loading "rayon" pulp and lumber.

Deaths: Arthur A. Chamberlain, Cullen Abbott.

20 YEARS AGO

A. H. Gibbs bought the True house at the head of Broad Street. Roy Moore sold out his line of grain and feeds and accepted a position as manager of the local branch of the American Milling Co.

New telephones were installed in South Bethel.

Deaths: Mrs. Lizzie E. Lane, Mrs. Frank Russell, Edwin C. Whittemore, Miss Alice Merrill.

4-H CLUB NEWS

LUCKY IS 4-H CLUB

Meeting, Nov. 21, was called to order by the president, Julie Brown. We sang "Happy Birthday" to Julie Brown who is fifteen today. We are each supposed to bring a ribbon, pine cone, berries, etc. next week for a Christmas table decoration. We voted to have a Christmas party the 15th of December. Each of us are going to make gifts for each other. We drew names for who we are going to give gifts. The Junior Leaders were on the Christmas tree committee for the Junior Leaders party which was held at the home of E. Cottage the 2nd of December. Nancy and Julie Brown are to give demonstrations at the party. Refreshments were served. They are to be brought next week by Julie and Helen Brown. There were 12 members present. Norma Kimball is back with us after having her appendix removed. Meeting was closed. After the meeting we talked about conservation. Our visitor this week was Rusty Clark, the Oxford County Agent. Respectfully submitted, Reporter, Linda Paine.

Dec. 1, meeting was called to order by the president, Julie Brown. When the roll call was called off we each named some demonstrations which could be used by us. Gertrude Waldron gave the treasurer's report. We collected \$6. Ten members were present. This was our seventh meeting. We are going to make Christmas candy next week for refreshments. After the meeting we made Christmas decorations. Nancy and Julie Brown practiced their demonstrations. Respectfully submitted, Linda Paine.

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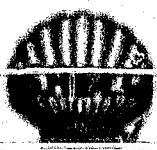
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60 YEARS AGO



The home of Dr. and Mrs. John G. Gehring, when it burned in February, 1896. The house was built by Dr. Nathaniel T. True, Mrs. Gehring's father, in 1856. The blaze was fought unsuccessfully by both fire companies, the Volunteer Hose Company and Hose Company No. 1 (the lower Company on Main Street). The latter was troubled by anchor ice in their hose. The firemen were able to save the barn. Dr. Gehring built the present Gehring home, now owned by National Training Laboratories, the same year.

LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. Florence Swift, Corcoran, George Stowell 3rd who is stationed at Westover AFB spent a Thanksgiving leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell Jr., West Bethel, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swift. Mr. and Mrs. Philip Bolan and three children who have been living in their cottage on Twilchell Pond have moved to a rent in the Burnham house at Bryant Pond, for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Mason, of Jonesboro, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford and other relatives in town for several days. The next Ladies Circle Meeting will be Dec. 17 at the home of Mrs. Florence Swift.

Paul Bartlett, Maguire AFB, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Helena Bartlett over the holidays.

Mrs. Cecile Winslow of Town was visiting relatives in town over the week end.

Mrs. Dwight Martin and Mrs. Andrew Hawkins will attend a meeting of the School Union No. 22, Thursday evening at Bethel.

There will be a meeting of the Parent Teachers Group at the village school house, Monday evening, Dec. 8, at 7:30. It will be election of officers. Everyone is urged to attend.

The meeting of the 4-H Club was held in the Community House at Greenwood Nov. 26. It was decided to have a Christmas Party at the next meeting to be held at the Community House on Dec. 13 at 7:30 P. M. The parents are invited to attend. There will be a short program put on by the 4-H members. Program committee is John Curtis, Ann Holt and Wayne Hakala. The 4-H Club is going to fill a sunshine box for Mr. and Mrs. Rundgren of Richardson Hollow.

Mrs. Rundgren has been ill and is now in the hospital. Joanne Hawkins, Priscilla Walsanen and Raymond Hakala were appointed to look after this. After the meeting the members some points in selecting and caring for a dairy calf. Refreshments were served by Ann Holt and Robert Holt. There were 12 members and one visitor present.

BORN

In Rumford, Nov. 25, to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Coolidge, Jr., of Bethel, a daughter.

DIED

In Norway, Nov. 26, Mrs. Blanche Hatastat of Albany, aged 54 years. In West Paris, Nov. 26, Mrs. Minnie M. Crawford, aged 65 years. In West Paris, Nov. 26, Edwin T. Biebes, aged 69 years. In Glenville, Ga., Nov. 26, Mrs. William Abbott, native of South Waterford, aged 58 years. In Lewiston, Nov. 25, Miss Ruth Stearns of West Paris.

GIRL SCOUTS

A formal Girl Scout meeting was held at the Legion Rooms Monday afternoon. Gifts were brought for Christmas boxes to be packed. We formed the horseshoe, gave the Girl Scout Promise and Laws. We sang America. Refreshments were served, games played and songs sung by the group.—Louann Brown, Reporter.

Brownie Troop 8 met Tuesday afternoon at the home of our leader. We finished our waste paper baskets and took them home. Games, songs and refreshments were enjoyed. Hostesses for next week will be Gretchen Dock, Pammy Douglas, Ester Conner, and Cheryl Merrill.

The Second Grade Brownies met Tuesday at the school house. There was a question and answer period.

Mrs. Kneeland read the story of The Night Before Christmas. Two stories were read. The girls did Christmas drawings. Prizes were won by Beverly Coolidge and Beverly Joan York.

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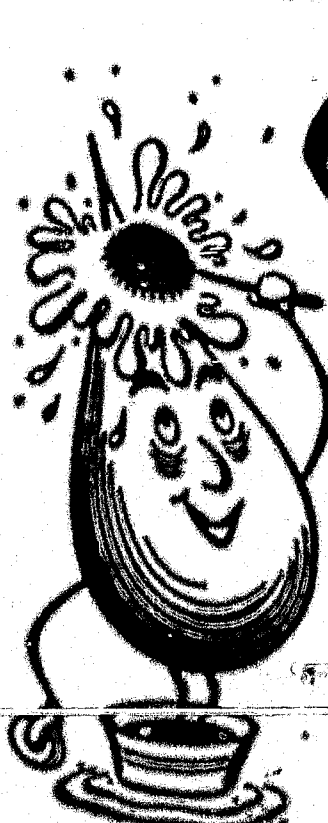
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Total local co. Western Maine dren's campaign and food sale on Mr. and Mrs. bought the King Academy and w soon as alterations pleted.

Curtis Cole, son Howard Cole, celebrated birthday on Saturday on Saturday a party at his home. Kevin, Trinward, Jamie, Mathieu, and Be

The Bethel B Group met on Tuesday at the home of the home Econo pot luck supper y the meeting. A business meeting for the coming year. Next meeting will be on December 13. Twenty-seven m the meeting of the Guild Wednesday home of Mary P. pot luck supper. devotions and Ma received the myster was an exchange and secret pals by a Christmas tr

Eugene Tebbets, Mrs. John Tebbets honor at a birthday Dec. 5. Those present, Dickie W. Trinward, Kenneth Burgess, Alan Bur George Angevine, David Thurston, Tom Davis, and F

The Busy Beavers a meeting on Dec. of the leader, Mrs. a business meeting and Nancy Brown 13 Club gave us demonstration on mas decorations of papers. We enjoy of popcorn balls by yvonne Rolfe.

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Theresa Gauthier, daughter of Mrs. I. in Rumford, was a collection last Thursday. In Rumford, Tobin was also injured and was tr

The Bethel B Group met Thursday

writing of the town and their descendants. Pte Thomas P. P. the "father of the m Fort Dix, N. J. P. son of Mr. and Mrs. of Capt. Arnes. The home of Mr. d